

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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REFINERIA DI KORSOU N.V.,	:	
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	:	<b><u>NOTICE OF POTENTIAL</u></b>
Plaintiff,	:	<b><u>CONFLICT</u></b>
-against-	:	
	:	23 Civ. 4974 (AKH)
PETRÓLEOS DE VENEZUELA S.A.,	:	
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Defendant.	:	
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ALVIN K. HELLERSTEIN, U.S.D.J.:

I write to advise the parties that the firm representing the Plaintiff, Carter Ledyerd & Milburn LLP, represents me in estate matters. Canon 3C(1) provides that a judge should recuse when such a conflict arises. Recusal is subject to remittal.

I do not believe that I am biased in this case, or that there is an appearance of such. However, if the counsel wishes me to recuse, I will do so, and another judge will be randomly assigned to this case. Counsel should advise the Clerk of Court by October 26, 2023 if a recusal is requested. If either side wishes me to recuse, the Clerk of Court will then advise me without identifying who made the request.

Dated:           October 16, 2023  
                    New York, New York

\_\_\_\_\_/s/ Alvin K. Hellerstein\_\_\_\_\_  
ALVIN K. HELLERSTEIN  
United States District Judge